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DEPT PASS TO CHAIRMAN OF BOARD, STANDARD OIL
COMPANY, INDIANA

FOR ACTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY BLAKE (AF)

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: OVIP, EMIN, CG
SUBJ: VISIT OF STANDARD OIL OF INDIANA BOARD CHAIRMAN

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1. DURING AMBASSADOR HINTON'S ABSENCE IN LUSAKA
NOVEMBER 4 TO 8, CHARGE NEWLIN WOULD BE DELIGHTED TO HOST
SMALL WORKING DINNER OR LUNCHEON SUGGESTED BY CHAIRMAN
SWEARINGEN EITHER NOV 5 OR 7.

2. PRIOR TO ARRIVAL REFTTEL, NEWLING IN CONSULTATION WITH
DEVLIN, LOCAL REP OF MAURICE TEMPLESMAN AND SON, ISSUED
INVITATIONS TO COCKTAIL NOV 6 FROM SIX TO EIGHT FOR
MR. SWEARINGEN TO MEET SELECTED KEY AMERICAN BUSINESSMEN
INCLUDING THOSE BUILDING INGA-SHABA LINE. SMTF REP
DE LA VALLEE POUSSIN IS PLANNING DINNER IN MR. SWEARINGEN'S
HONOR NOV 5 AND DEVLIN HAS SIMILAR PLANS FOR DINNER NOV 6
AFTER COCKTAILS AT NEWLINS.

3. NONE OF FUNCTIONS PARA 2 ABOVE WOULD PERMIT KIND OF DIS-
CUSSION OUTLINED PARA ONE REFDEPTEL. ACCORDINGLY, SUGGEST
SMALL WORKING LUNCHEON AT NEWLINS HOUSE EITHER NOV 5 OR 6.
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WOULD PLAN TO LIMIT GUESTS TO SWEARINGEN, PITCHER, CHARGE AND

ECON AND POL COUNSELORS, BELIEVE IT MIGHT BE AWKWARD
NOT TO INCLUDE DEVLIN ALSO BUT LEAVE THIS TO MR SWEARINGEN.

4. AMBASSADOR HINTON EXPECTED RETURN KINSHASA EVENING NOV
8 AND AM CERTAIN HE WILL BE HAPPY TO MEET MR SWEARINGEN
NOV 9.

5. PLEASE ADVISE.
HINTON

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